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KEY and STEM WINDING!

DECATUR REVIEW.

THE funeral train is on its way to Cleveland.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR will for the present make his home with Senator Jones, of Nevada.

MR. HAYES, the new road commissioner, of Freemont, Ohio, was in Washington this week.

SENATOR DAWES concedes the power and right of the democrats to organize the U. S. Senate.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR cannot divide the responsibilities of his position, and therefore should decide for himself his policy.

THE appointment of a judge of the supreme court will be one of the first important duties the president will have to perform.

FUNERAL services over the body of the late president were held yesterday in the rotunda of the capitol, Rev. F. Powers officiating.

YESTERDAY President Arthur issued his proclamation convening the U. S. Senate in special session on Monday, the 10th day of October.

THE first official act of President Arthur was to appoint Monday next, September 26th, as a day of humiliation and mourning for the late president.

R. B. HAYES and John Sherman removed Arthur from the collectorship of the port of New York "for causes," yet they were present to see the oath of office administered to him as president.

THE New York *Sun* has made a special effort to determine President Arthur's birth-place, to set at rest the story about his being ineligible. It finds that he was born in Franklin county, Vt., Oct. 5, 1830.

SKEPTICS claim that the death of President Garfield was an evidence that the "prayers of the righteous" do not prevail. They forget that the prayers of the righteous were for the good of the country and of its people, and for God's own glory, and that in accomplishing this end they besought Him, if it was consistent with His purposes, that the life of the president might be spared. God's purposes we may not understand. His glory and our good may be through this affliction.

RUMORS are rife in Washington that there will be trouble among the doctors as soon as Mr. Garfield is buried. It is claimed by knowing ones that the autopsy did not show the published statement; that the wound in itself was not fatal; that death resulted from blood poisoning, and that this was the result of an imperfect drainage of the wound on the second day after the shooting; that a huge clot of blood becoming putrid sent its poison throughout the whole system, and was the cause of the ab scesses.

Damage Recovered.

On Thursday there was some tolerably warm litigation before Justice Albert, in which Jacob Freshnier, of La Place was plaintiff and the I. D & S. Railroad Co, defendant. It seems that a train of cars on this road had run over and killed a cow belonging to the plaintiff, and the suit was brought to recover value of the cow. The case occupied the most of the day, and at its conclusion the court said the railroad company must pay seventy dollars for the cow.

To Readers of the "Sunday Blade."

Owing to changes we are making in the *Blade*, and moving into larger and more commodious quarters, we will be obliged to miss the next issue. Subscribers and advertisers will lose nothing by it, as we will make up its loss in the future.

Respectfully,

BAIM & MARTIN.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, September 23, 1881.

Wheat 1.32 Oct; 1.35½ Nov; 1.35¼ Dec;

Corn 69¼ Oct; 69⅜ Nov; 69⅝ Dec;

Oats 41⅞ Oct; 42½ Nov; 43½ Dec;

Lard, 12.15 Oct; 12.25 Nov; 12.47 Dec.

Pork, 19.30 Oct; 19.50 Nov.;

Smoke the "King" 5c tr.

Sept.21-d&w

THE NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 23.—The senate of the United States has just been called to meet by proclamation of President Arthur, on Monday, Oct. 10th.

ITS ORGANIZATION.

Senior Bayard said this morning that he had yet to hear of a Senator of either party who expected the Senate to organize, except with the election of a Democratic presiding officer previous to the admission of the new Senators. The clerk, he said, would also be necessarily elected to complete the organization and make a record. The other officers were not necessary to proper organization for business and would not be elected until subsequent to the admission of the new Senators. The changes in the committees, if any are to be made, will be made when the Senate is full, as the Democrats would be exactly equal in numbers to the Republicans. He thought that they would demand and receive without argument or resistence an equal representation upon all the committees.

PUBLIC BUSINESS.

The Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The cabinet to-day, through Secretary Blaine, tendered their resignations to President Arthur, at a cabinet-meeting at the capitol, after the president was sworn in. The act was accompanied by an expression of the warmest sentiments of personal regard, and the president was given to understand that the members of the cabinet desired only to relieve him of all embarrassment without regard to past political events. The president, without formality, said that he did not desire to accept the tendered resignations, and would esteem it a personal favor if they would continue in the discharge of their duties. The condition of public bussiness and the sensitiveness of the public mind in view of the recent great national bereavement warranted him in asking this indulgence at their hands.

SESSION OF THE SENATE.

It may safely be said that before the close of the next week a proclamation will be issued by the president calling the senate in executive session. The time fixed will be not later than the 18th of October. It is understood that the president was adverse to the calling of a session, but has yielded to the weight of senatorial opinion, which has been freely expressed yesterday and to day.

Senator Dawes called upon President Arthur to-day. He strongly advised the calling of an executive session. In conversation he pointed out that no political result would be effected by an early session. The senate is now Democratic, but it is no more so than it will be in December. There could be, in his judgment, no doubt that a Democratic senator would be elected president of the senate. He thought the law and custom required a president before any senator could be properly sworn in, it appeared to him almost as certain that a secretary would also be necessary to a proper organization of the body, else no formal record of the election of a president could be made. The next business would be the admission of the new senators from New York and the successor to Senator Burnside. Their admission would constitute a question of the highest privilege. With these added to the Republican side there could not be any change in the committees, even if the Democrats could desire to change them, which, in his judgment, is not at all likely; neither party would peril its reputain with the country by indulging in another wrangle; either would prefer to suffer a wrong rather than to precipitate another deadlock. With the presiding officer and the secretary the Democrats would make no contest for the minor offices, and these would probably be conceded to the Republicans.

ARTHUR'S POLICY.

What Will It Be?

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Whatever may be the grief of the present, men will always turn their faces to the future. It is that after all in which they are most interested. Even when they are sorely stricken, they are unable to wholly abandon themselves to grief, or to neglect the concerns which most affect them. No sooner had the remains of the late president been placed on the catafalque in the dome of the capital than Washington began its perennial occupation of talking politics. The policy and the purpose of Mr. Arthur were the theme of the day, and in discussing them men began to weigh their words and to take into consideration the motives which ordinarily govern them. President Arthur's inauguration was a surprise. No one expected it and those who were present were there by chance. On the whole the inaugural made a good impression on those who heard it. It seemed like the fair promise of a well intentioned man to do his duty by the country and honestly and conscientiously, and the people are in a mood to deal justly with the new chief magistrate. The fruit of controversy has turned out so bitter to the taste there is little disposition to renew indulgence in it.

HIS OLD TIME FRIENDS

Who still continue to act with what is known as the stalwart wing of the party, insist that they are to have the control of the federal offices, and are to be recognized more fully than they have been since Gen. Grant went out of the presidency. Whether they are right or not they admit that it would be unwise to make any changes at the present time, and there is really no prospect of any official over running. Most of the members of cabinet were at the meeting which was called to-day immediately after the inaugural ceremony at the capitol. Senator Jones and some others of Mr. Arthur's immediate friends are opposed to even an extra session of the senate for executive business, thinking that such a meeting would unnecessarily disturb the country. The weight of opinion, however, is the other way, and the outlook at present is that an extra session of the senate will be called.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lucy Prestley, who has for some time past been visiting friends in Ohio, returned yesterday.

H.W. Waggoner and family are receiving a visit from their cousin. Miss Emma Waggoner, of Jacksonville.

Rev. T. Hines, of Maroa, was a guest at the St. Nicholas last night, and left for Springfield by the early train this morning.

Mrs. Samuel Ackerman and Miss Helen Richards went to Tuscola last night on a visit for a few days.

Justice Lowry is quite sick with intermittent fever, not having been able to be at his office since Monday.

J. R. Mosser, of the *Republican*, will leave to-night for Cleveland to be present at the funeral of the late president.

W. A Webb, Esq., of Dalton, spent most of Friday in Decatur. Mr. W. perambulates the streets of our city frequently.

Mrs. B. Lytle and Mrs. John Lytle are being visited by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of Waterford, Pa.

W. D. Kunkler and family, who have been visiting their old home in Pennsylvania, have returned well pleased with their trip,

Mr. W. H. Linn returned home night before last, after about six weeks absence in the eastern cities. Linn & Scruggs' corner will look more natural now.

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching morning and evening by Rev. J. P. Dimmitt the new pastor. Classes meet as usual in the morning. Sunday school at 2. p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services.

STAPP'S CHAPEL.

The services will be of a memorial character. The church will be draped and the pastor in the morning sermon will consider the demise of our late president.

Dr. Davies will preach in the evening. Class meeting at 9 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Memorial services at 10:30 a. m Subject of discourse, "*Our Dead*" Evening services at 7 30 o'clock. All cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

In the forenoon Elder N. S. Haynes late pastor of the church, will conduct a memorial service. He will also preach in the evening at the usual hour.

Notice! W. C. T. U.

The Union will meet to-morrow at 3 p. m., at the club room of the tabernacle to complete preparations for the meetings of next week.

M. M. SARGENT.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TO THE DECEMBER TERM, A. D., 1881.

Rosann Bauchman et al
vs
Henry Ekel, et al.

Affidavit of the non residence of John J. Ekel, Elizabeth Ekel, William Ekel, Sarah Adams, Edgar Ekel, Henry Ekel, Mary Egan, Bertie Fisher and Ettie Augerman, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon County, notice is hereby given to the said John J. Ekel, Elizabeth Ekel, William Ekel, Sarah Adams, Edgar Ekel, Henry Ekel Mary Egan, Bertie Fisher and Ettie Augerman, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable at the court-house, in the city of Decatur in said County, on the first Monday of December next, [1881], as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said John J. Ekel, Elizabeth Ekel, William Ekel, Sarah Adams, Edgar Ekel, Henry Ekel, Mary Egan, Bertie Fisher and Ettie Augerman, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon County, on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, 1881, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged, and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

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THE NEW PRESIDENT.

He Formally Takes The Oath.

President Arthur formally took the oath of the office at capitol on Thursday, September 22 in the presence of the members of the cabinet, the Justices of the Supreme Court, a few Senators and members of the House of Representatives, all who could be notified to be present, also Gen. Sherman, Gen. Grant, Rear Admiral Nichols, Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, Gen. Beale and a few others. This step was taken after a conference between the President, Secretary Blaine and the Attorney-General. Very few persons knew the oath was to be administered until the ceremony was over. The President and members of the Cabinet had assembled in the marble room shortly before 12 o'clock. Chief Justice Waite, in his full robes of office, accompanied by the Associate Justices, proceeded from the Supreme Court room to the marble room. The doors were immediately closed, and without any formality President Arthur arose, and standing upon one side of the center table, Chief Justice Waite on the other, took the oath of office. The President then read from manuscript notes the following address:

PRESIDENT ARTHUR'S ADDRESS.

"For the fourth time in the history of this Republic its Chief Magistrate has been removed by death. All hearts are filled with grief and horror at the hideous crime which has darkened our land, and the memory of the murdered President, his protracted sufferings, his unyielding fortitude, the example and achievements of his life and the pathos of his death will forever illumine the pages of history. For the fourth time the officer elected by the people and ordained by the Constitution to fill a vacancy so created is called to assume the executive chair. The wisdom of our fathers, foreseeing even the most dire possibilities, made sure that the Government should never be imperiled because of the uncertainty of human life. Men may die, but the fabrics of our free institutions remain unshaken. No higher or more assuring proof could exist of the strength and permanency of a popular government than the fact that, though the chosen of the people be struck down, his constitutional successor is peacefully installed without a shock or strain, except the sorrow which mourns the bereavement. All the noble aspirations of my lamented predecessor which found expression in his life, the measures devised and suggested during his brief administration to correct abuse and enforce economy, to advance and promote the general welfare, to insure domestic security and maintain friendly and honorable relations with the nations of earth, will be garnered in the hearts of the people, and it will be my earnest endeavor to profit and to see that the nation shall profit by the example and experience. Prosperity blesses our country. Our fiscal policy is fixed by law, is well grounded and generally approved. No threatening issue mars our foreign intercourse, and the wisdom, integrity and thrift of our people may be trusted to continue undisturbed. The present assured a career of peace, tranquility and welfare. The gloom and anxiety which have enshrouded the country must make repose especially welcome now. No demand for speedy legislation has been heard; no adequate occasion is apparent for an unusual session of Congress. The Constitution defines the functions and powers of the Executive as clearly as those of either of the other departments of government and he must answer for the just exercise of the discretion it permits and the performance of the duties it imposes. Summoned to these high duties and responsibilities and profoundly conscious of their magnitude and gravity. I assume the trust imposed by the Constitution, relying for aid on the divine guidance and the virtue, patriotism and intelligence of the American people."

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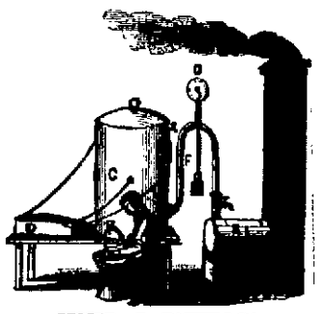

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In pursuance of an order of the honorable the county court of Macon county, made at its August Term, A. D. 1881, notice is hereby given to the heirs, devisees, and legatees, under the last will and testament of Henry Stichler, late of the county of Macon, in the State of Illinois, deceased, and to all claimants against his estate, and to all persons in any wise interested therein, that I will, as executor of said will, apply to the said court at its next term to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the THIRD MONDAY in the month of September, [19th day] A. D. 1881, for an order of distribution for a part of the said estate, being funds now in my hands, and ready for distribution. At which time and place, all persons concerned, are requested and notified to be present, to represent their respective rights and interests

JACOB WALTZ,
Executor of the will of Henry Stichler.

Aug. 26, 1881.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power in me vested by the will of Henry Stichler, late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, which will was duly probated in the county court of said county, I as executor of said will, will proceed at the late residence of said Henry Stichler, now owned and occupied by Richard Demery, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1881.

to sell at public auctionto the highest bidder, the following described real estate lying and being situated in the county and state aforesaid, to-wit: The east half of the southwest quarter of section six [6], in township fifteen [15], north range one [1], east of the third [3rd] principal meridian, containing eighty acres. The terms of sale will be one-half cash, the other half payable in one year. The deferred payment to bear eight per centum per annum interest, to be secured by note and mortgage on the premises sold. The above land is fenced and under cultivation. The present growing corn crop will be reserved except the one third which will be sold with the land.

JACOB WALTZ,
Executor etc. of Henry Stichler, deceased.

Aug. 27,—td

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power and authority in me vested by a decree of the circuit court of the county of Macon in the state of Illinois, at the May term thereof, A. D. 1881, in a cause wherein I as guardian of Mary D. G. Lansden, John T. Lansden and Maggie E. Lansden, was petitioner, I will proceed at the west entrance of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on Thursday, the

29TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1881,

to sell at public outcry, to the highest bidder, the following described lands lying and being situate in the said county, to-wit: Commencing two (2) chains and fifty-two (52) links north of the center of section one (1), in township fifteen (15) north, range three (3) east of 3rd principal meridian; thence west nineteen(19) chains and seventy-eight (78) links to the west line of the forty-acre tract; thence north five (5) chains; thence east nineteen (19) chains and seventy-eight (78) links to the north and south quarter section line; thence south five (5) chains to the place of beginning, containing ten acres. The purchaser will be required to pay one-half of bid in cash, the residue at the end of twelve months, with interest at six per cent. per annum. No bid for less than $12 per acre will be received, Deed will be executed to the purchaser, but the unpaid balance of the purchase money must be secured by note of the bidder and a mortgage on the premises sold.

E. J. LANSDEN, Guardian.

NELSON & HUNDLEY, solicitors.

Aug29-30d.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois made at the September term thereof, A. D. 1881, upon the petition of the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Joseph Spangler deceased, against Daniel Spangler et al, I will on the

8 TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1881.

at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the west door of the court house in Decatur, Ill., the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois; Commencing at a stone at the north-east corner of section seventeen,[17] in township sixteen, [16] north and range three east of the third principal meridian, thence south 19.35 chains, thence west 10.10 chains, thence north 19.35 chains, thence east 10.10 chains to the place of beginning, containing 19 54-100 acres. Twelve acres off of the north end of the last above described piece and described as follows: Commencing at a stone at the north-east corner of section seventeen, [17] in township [16] north and range three, east of the third principal meridian, thence south 11.88 chains, thence west 10.10 chains, thence north 11.88 chains, thence east 10.10 chains to the place of beginning. This last described piece of land will be sold subject to the dower of Fidelia E. Armstrong.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half cash and remainder in six months: To be secured by note bearing six per cent. interest with mortgage on the premises sold. No conveyance to be made until sale has been reported to and approved by the said court.

JAMES D. TAIT,
Administrator of the estate of Joseph Spangler, Deceased. Sep13td

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS David L. Allen & Julia E. Allen, his wife, did on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust, convey to Kilburn H. Roby, Trustee, the following described real estate situated in Macon County Illinois: Commencing at the North East corner of the South East quarter of section twenty-two (22) township sixteen (16) North range two (2) east of third principal meridian, thence north on the section line between sections twenty-two and twenty-three to the point of intersection of said line with the public road; thence southwestwardly along the east line of said public road following its various turns to a point where said public road intersects the north line of the south east quarter of the south east quarter of said section twenty-two, (22) thence east along said last mentioned line to the east line of said section twenty-two; thence north along the section line between sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23) to the point of beginning, which deed is recorded in the Recorder's office of said Macon County in Book 67, at page 161, to secure the payment of one promissory note of said David L. Allen bearing even date therewith for the sum of $600, payable six months after date to the order of Edward Harpstrite & Henry Shlundeman with interest at ten per cent per annum from date until paid, and upon which note there will be due of principal and interest on the 6th day of October 1881 the sum of $708.

And whereas it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in payment of the principal sum specified in said note, or of the interest thereon when due, on application of the legal holder of said note, said trustee after publishing notice for the sale of said premises in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur in said county, for thirty days, shall sell said premises at public auction at the west out side door of the Court House in the city of Decatur Illinois to the highest bidder for cash. And whereas default has been made in the payment of said principal sum specified in said note and of the interest accrued thereon when due, and application has been made by the legal holders of said note, to the undersigned to sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that the undersigned by virtue of the power conferred upon him by said deed of trust, will, at ten o'clock a. m. on Thursday the 6th day of October A. D. 1881, at the west outside door of the Court House, in the City of Decatur Illinois sell the above described premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and make and deliver to the purchaser a good and sufficient deed conveying all right title, and equity of redemption of the said David L. Allen and Julia E. Allen, and all persons claiming by, through or under them.

The undersigned is informed that Laura S. Allen claims some interest in said premises which is subject to said deed of trust.

September 5th A. D. 1881.

KILBURN H. ROBY, Trustee.

Daily 30 days.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Of Distribution of Part of the estate of GEO. W. CASNER Deed.

In pursuance of an order of the honorable the county court of Macon county, made at its August Term, A. D. 1881, notice is hereby given to the heirs of George W. Casner Deed., and to all claimants against his estate, and to all persons in any wise interested therein, that I will, as administrator of said estate, apply to the said court at its next term to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the third Monday in the month of September, [19th day] A. D. 1881, for an order of distribution for a part of the said estate, being funds now in my hands, and ready for distribution.

At which time and place, all persons concerned, are requested and notified to be present, to represent their respective rights and interests.

LEWIS B. CASNER Admr., &c. of GEO. W CASNER Deed. Sept. 3rd 1881.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TO THE DECEMBER TERM, A. D., 1881.

Frank Grisser vs. Catalherine Elizabeth Grisser, Mary Tillie Grisser and Annie E. Grisser, in Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Catharine Elizabeth Grisser, Mary Tillie Grisser and Annie Grisser, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon County, notice is hereby given to the said Catherine Elizabeth Grisser, Mary Tillie Grisser and Annie E. Grisser, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable at the court-house, in the city of Decatur in said County, on the first Monday of December next, (1881). as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said Catherine Elizabeth Grisser, Mary Tillie Grisser and Annie E. Grisser shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon County, on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at Decatur in said county on the first Monday of December, 1881, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

LEE & WALKER, Compl't's Sol'r.

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Anthony Thornton. E. R. Eldridge
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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
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WM. E. NELSON, ZACH T. HUNDLEY

NELSON & HUNDLEY,

Attorneys and Counselors-at-Law.

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W. C. JOHNS,

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The undersigned has for sale fine Concord Grapes. The best in the market. In quantities to suit the purchaser, at his vineyard south west of the city, near the St. Louis bridge.

Orders by postal card promptly filled and grapes delivered in any part of the city. HENRY PEYER.

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Kelley's Island, Ohio, March 28th, 1880 I have used your Kendall's Spavin Cure on a bone spavin and am pleased to report that it has taken the enlargement completely off. It took only one bottle to perform the cure, I am confident if it is properly used it will do all you claim for it. Yours truly, C. M. Lincoln. Sept. 13-d&w1w

New Restaurant.

All persons wanting a good square meal for 25 cents should call at H. J. Woodworth's on Franklin street near east Main street. S7w2t

If your Horse has a spavin use Kendall's Spavin Cure. See the advertisement. Sept.15-d&w1w

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Read what the Hon. J. M. Coffinberry, of Cleveland, says about Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment: I have used scores of Pile Cures, and it affords me pleasure to say that I have never found anything which gave such immediate and permanent relief as Dr. William's Indian Ointment.

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DECATUR REVIEW

SATURDAY, SEPT. 24, 1881.

Human Pincushions.

[London Lancet.]

Hildanus related an incident of a woman who swallowed several pins and passed them six years afterward; but a more remarkable instance of prolonged detention was recorded by Stephenson, of Detroit—that of a lady aged seventy-five, who last year passed, after some months' symptoms of vesicle irritation, a pin which she had swallowed while picking her teeth with it in the year 1835—forty-two years previous. M. Sitty records some years ago the case of a woman who had a penchant for pins and needles so strong that she made them, in fact, a part of her daily diet, and after her death 1,400 or 1,500 were removed from various parts of her body.

Another case almost as striking has been recorded by Dr. Gillette, that of a girl in whom, from time to time, needles were found beneath the skin, which they perforated, and were removed by the finger or forceps. Concerning the way in which they got into her system no information could be extracted from her. She was carefully watched, and in the course of eighteen months not less than 320 needles were extracted, all being of the same size. The largest number which escaped in a single day was sixty-one.

A curious phenomenon preceded the escape of each needle. For some hours the pain was severe, and there was considerable fever. She then felt a sharp pain, like lightning, in the tissues, and on looking at the place at which this pain had been felt, the head of the needle was generally found projecting. The needles invariably came out head foremost. No bleeding was occasioned and not the least trace of inflammation followed. The doctor in attendance extracted 318.

That little weight is to be attached to the place at which the needles escape as proof of their mode of introduction is evident from a case recorded by Villars of a girl who swallowed a large number of pins and needles, and two years afterward, during a period of nine months, two hundred passed out of the hand, arm, axilla, side of thorax, abdomen and thigh, all on the left side. The pins, curiously, escaped more readily and with less pain than the needles.

Many years ago a case was recorded by Dr. Otto, of Copenhagen, in which four hundred and ninety-five needles passed through the side of a hysterical girl, who had probably swallowed them during a hysterical paroxysm; but all these emerged in the regions below the level of the diaphragm, and were collected in groups, which gave rise to inflammatory swellings of some size. One of these contained one hundred needles.

Quite recently Dr. Bigger described before the Society of Surgery of Dublin a case in which more than three hundred needles were removed from the body of a woman who died in consequence of their presence. It is very remarkable in how few cases the needles were the cause of death, and how slight an interference with function their presence and movement cause.

Crying Babies.

[Wabash Courier.]

Why is it that at every public gathering there is invariably a woman with a baby that always cries? The pair were never known to miss any assembly and the vocal selections are of the choicest nature.

Music of this kind is not calculated to soothe the average man. On the contrary it excites his wrath and makes him say uncomplimentary things about the baby, and he wishes the woman would take it out. That is something, however, that she doesn't do. She has come to give the crowd a serenade and it is useless to expostulate with her. She thinks she will be able to quiet the dear child and she sits there patting the little one, which is yelling at the top of its lungs and making such an infernal din that the speaker can't be heard ten feet from where he is standing.

The baby could, in all probability, as well as not been left at home, but as it was good just before starting, of course it wouldn't raise any racket after it got into the crowd. No sooner does it get into a place where people are trying to hear, than it sets up a squawk that makes a man's hair stand on end and causes cold chills to play tag up and down his spinal column. The shrieks are heartrending and there is no way of stopping the racket except by carrying it out of hearing, when the little cherub suddenly becomes as quiet as a graveyard.

No speaker can deliver an address and be emphathic, with a squalling baby in front of him emitting more noise to the second than a dozen steam whistles. It creates a feeling of uncertainty in his mind and gets him off the theme. The theatre is one of the worst places a woman can take a child. It is intensely annoying to listen to the distressing howls just when one is most deeply interested in the play. The discordant yelps destroy all interest in the drama and engender desperation in the man of the strongest nerves.

Much as it is hoped that the custom of packing vociferous children to entertainments may fall into disuse, there is but little probability of the millennium in this regard coming in time to benefit the people of our generation. Give us a rest on the young ones, and the sooner the better.

Charity in the Drawing Room.

They were discussing charity in the drawing room, and one of the gentlemen was inveighing with some sarcasm against benevolent folks who made donations and have their names published in the papers. "Nearly all charitable acts," he said, eloquently, "have pride-vanity as their motive. For my part I hate ostentation. I remember once when I was travelling through a section of the country where I was not known, I came upon a lonely little way-station where, in the waiting-room, there was fastened to the wall a contribution-box for the benefit of the sufferers through the recent inundations. There was not a soul there—not a person in the neighborhood knew of my presence or was acquainted with my name, and I went and dropped a guinea in the box and slipped away unseen, unknown. "Now, sir, what I contend is that my secret offering was a more meritorious one than if it had been made on a public subscription list, with a loud flourish of trumpets." "You are quite right," says one of the bystanders. "That was generous, modest charity, and I don't wonder that you brag of it."

For Rent.

The large and commodious hall 21x60 feet, over Post's jewelry store. Apply to Andrew Rothfuss. jly 20tf

Cincinnati Exposition.

The W., St. L. & P. will sell round trip tickets to Cincinnati from now until Oct. 7. for $10.80. Tickets good to Oct. 9, s9d&wtd

A Boy Wanted

At E. Houston's, southeast corner of city park. Good wages paid to a boy that is willing to work and will suit. s14tf

A Card.

I have an assortment of gas fixtures, chandeliers, store pendents, brackets and globes which I will sell at cost price to close out the stock. d&w H. MUELLER.

Lots for Sale

On West Wood street, four fifty feet lots will be sold at a bargain.

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New Shoe Store.

At No. 60 east Main street where John Frank has opened out in his new building a complete stock of boots and shoes for men women and children. Don't fail to call and see Mr. Frank as he will not fail to suit you in style and price. S7d&w1m

Coal and Wood.

Lackawanna, Lehigh, Decatur and Mt. Olive coal. Best of dry cord wood already on hand at lowest market rates. Orders left at Peter Ullrich's grocery store, or by telephone, promptly attended to.

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Able & Locke.

This firm has bought a large amount of goods in the eastern markets which are arriving almost daily. They consist of the newest styles of carpets, rugs, mattings, wall papers, lambrequins, curtains etc., which cannot fail to please. They ask an examination, feeling satisfied that the goods and prices will not fail to please. Sept.14-d&w

Mr. Einstein, of the firm of Bear & Einstein left on Saturday evening for Chicago to make their fall purchases of millinery, notions and ladies furnishing goods. Special pains will be taken by the firm to select one of the finest stocks of millinery goods ever shown in Decatur. They have also engaged one of the most skilful milliners to be had in the eastern cities, who will arrive here to-day and bring all the late styles. They will be ready next week, to show you all the latest novelties in the millinery line. Please call and examine their stock. No trouble to show goods. P. S. Remember their place of business is No. 28 East Main street. Sept.19 d&w1w

Calico at 4 cents per. yard. worth 6¼ cents, will be on sale Saturday next Sept. 24th at

LINN & SCRUGGS.
Sept.22-d&w1w

The neatest fits and most durable suits and the lowest prices at Denz's, Central block. d3m.

J. S. Campbell, corner of Fron and Cerro Gordo streets, is the agent for the sale of Anthony & Kuhns St Louis beer. Sept-14-3t

Dry stove wood at McClelland's coal yard. Leave orders at Cole Bros. Drug store. Sept 20d1w

Kersmeyer & O'Neill are sole agents for Macon county for the celebrated Baker Breechloaders, which is the best gun for the money in the world. S16d&w1

Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure.

[illegible]

Have you ... Horse? It needs Kendall's Spavin Cure. See their advertise[ment]. d&w1w

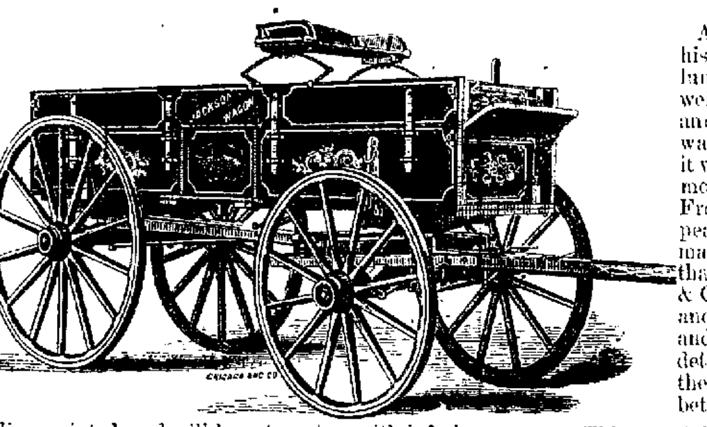
The increased attendance at the opera house attests the merits of the company now playing there. Go to-night.

Ask for the "King" cigar and you will get a good smoke. Sept.21-d&w

Coffee and Sandwiches.

The W. C. T. U. is to represent the temperance work at the county fair by a pledge tent and literature depot, including a Y. M. C. A. department in charge of Mr. I. J. Davis, general secretary. A coffee and sandwich table will be run in the tent, and donations of coffee, fresh buns, butter, and boiled ham will be gladly received at the tent, or at Mrs. R. C Hampsher's millinery store, No. 21 Merchant street. Cut flowers and pot plants for decorating specially solicited. The tent will stand on the slope south of the textile fabric hall. Every one coming to the fair is urged to call. Ladies invited to make the tent their headquarters. Packages, satchels, etc., may be checked free and left in the tent dressing room through the day. s20d3t

JACKSON WAGON !



There must be something in it, when purchasers of this Celebrated Wagon take the trouble to return to JOHN ARCHER & CO'S office and say: "My Jackson Wagon is a half horse power lighter than any wagon I ever used." Another comes with the expression, "I would not take $20 for the Patent Hitch on my Jackson Wagon."

Another weighed his load of green lumber and it weighed 6,551 lbs., and his team walked it off as if it was but a common light load. From present appearances, the demand is so great that John Archer & Co., may not get another car load and those who have determined to buy the Jackson, had better come soon for some will surely be disappointed, and will have to put up with inferior wagons. This certainly and surely is being demonstarted daily, that the Jackson Wagon is worth $20 more to a farmer than any ever sold in this market. At a late test made in Ohio, a 3¼ inch Jackson Wagon carried 14 tons and 222 pounds. Don't fail to see those

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and some very fine jobs of JUMP SEAT, changing to a single buggy in one minute. Also some of the very finest buggies ever brought to this market, made by the celebrated Wheeler Carriage Company, Louisville, Ky., whose single buggies readily brought $250 one year ago, but now on sale at much less figures. In fact, John Archer & Co., have the general agency of several of the best manufactories, and can furnish you with outfits for from $10 to $50 less than the same quality of goods can be sold by any other house. Come and see them.

Go to John Archer & Co., and buy your PLATFORM SPRING WAGONS. Two finely Cushioned seats, and Drop End Gate. They also have an extra fine three spring wagon, pronounced by all who have seen them the Choice Spring Wagon of the day. Also the usual Farmers' Spring Wagon—any of them cheaper than the same quality can be sold for elsewhere. Come and save your money and be better suited.

You can buy the best and most durable, and the only practical Self Liffing Sulky plows; you can buy the most complete turning plows; and if you don't wish to go the expense of $25 or $30 for a drill to plant your wheat in the corn, you can buy a five-foot Expanding Cultivator for that purpose for less than one-third the amount, which will serve the purpose quite as well as a drill. You can buy a two-horse Wheat Drill, whose Flukes are so adjusted that they cannot jump out where the ground is hard, and no amount of trash can choke. of

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A Strange Tradition.

[Christian Gleaner]

The Seminole Indians have a singular tradition regarding the white man's origin and superiority. They say when the Great Spirit made the earth he also created three men, all of whom were fair-complexioned. He then led them to a small lake and bade them jump in. One immediately obeyed the command and came out purer and fairer than before; the second hesitated awhile, by which time the water became muddled, and when he came up he was copper-colored; the third did not leap until the water became black with mud, and he came out with its own color.

After this the Great Spirit laid before them three sealed packages, and gave the black man the first choice, so that he might have a chance to amend his former misfortune. He closely examined each package, and having felt their weight, chose the heaviest in preference to the rest, believing it to be the best and most valuable. The copper-colored man chose the next heaviest, leaving the white man the lightest. When the packages were opened, the first contained spades, hoes and other implements of labor; and the second unfolded fishing-tackle, and hunting and warlike weapons; the third gave the white man pens, ink and paper—the means of mental improvement, the social ink of humanity, the foundation of the white man's superiority.

Couldn't See the Joke.

Lord Northbrook presented his hat with a bun in it the other day to what he thought was the elephant that would take cakes out of men's head-gear politely and eat them. He went to the wrong animal and saw bun, hat and all disappear down the beast's throat. All the Zoological Garden frequenters were convulsed except his lordship.

The Benefit of Free Labor.

[Richmond Palladium.]

In the fifteen years since the war the south has raised nearly 10,000,000 bales more cotton than it did in the last fifteen years of slavery. This addition was worth about $650,000,000. Almost enough to compensate them for the loss of their slaves.

Boys Need Company.

[Congregationalist.]

Boys must have sympathy, good cheer, and something to do. Youth especially needs a warm grasp of the hand, a sunny smile on the face, a tender interest in the hopes and plans of an untried life. Older people grow lean and shriveled of soul from the coldness and selfishness they find in after-life; but children, and youth especially, must have the warmth of affection for a healthy growth. We must not forget that they need company.

"My boy visits but seldom," said a young mother to us; "but our lawn is often full of boys who visit him."

Said a young man in one of our New England colleges:

"For six months, I have not stepped into a house where there are ladies, and I miss their society."

And the Christian women about him had forgotten that the college boy needed just the refinement and tenderness which his own home had furnished.

The Active Boy.

Your little son is perhaps troublesome. He is never quiet, and he constantly demands attention. How shall you abate this nuisance? You may try to destroy these bad habits by scolding him, by rebukes, by lectures, by punishments. That is one way but not the best.

These bad habits often spring from an instinct of activity—an intense desire to do something—which the Creator has given the child as a means of mental and moral growth. In pulling up the tares, you are in great danger of rooting out the wheat also. If you succeed by force in changing his disagreeable torment of perpetual activity into a dull quiet, you have changed a bright boy into a dull one. A better way than destroying this tendency is to fulfill it by giving him plenty of occupation of an innocent kind. Give him a heap of sand to dig, blocks of wood to build houses with, a box of tools, and boards to saw. Set him at work, useful or interesting, or at least harmless. He will like all this better than mischief. All his irregular activity was a cry for something to do. Give him that, and you will have no further trouble.

The Nobility of Life.

[Ruskin]

There is no action so slight nor so mean but it may be done to a great purpose, and ennobled therefor; nor is any purpose so great but that slight actions may help it, and may be so done as to help it much, most especially that chief of all purposes—the pleasing of God.

We treat God with irreverence by banishing him from our thoughts, not by referring to his will on slight occasions. His is not the finite authority or intelligence which cannot be troubled with small things. There is nothing so small but that we may honor God by asking his guidance of it, or insult him by taking it into our own hands; and what is true of the Deity is equally true of his revelation.

We use it more reverently when most habitually; our insolence is in ever acting without reference to it; our true honoring of it is in its universal application.

God appoints to every one of his creatures a separate mission; and if they discharge it honorably, if they quit themselves like men, and faithfully follow the light which is in them, withdrawing from it all cold and quenchless influence, there will assuredly come of it such burning as, according to its appointed mode and measure, shall shine before men, and be of service constant and holy.

Degrees infinite of luster there must always be, but the weakest among us has a gift, however seemingly trivial, which is peculiar to him, and which, worthily used, will be a gift, also, to his race forever. Says George Aerbert:

For all may have;
If they choose, a glorious life or grave.

A Fragrant Camellia.

The camellia has been cultivated for years by a gardener at Naples in the hope of adding a perfume to the flower. He has at last produced a rose camellia with a faint fragrance.

A dry goods house advertises lawn dresses that will wash. Of course. Why wouldn't they? Isn't it the business of a laundress to wash?—[Yonkers Statesman.

READ AND REMEMBER.

See those $3 cabinets at Wells' picture gallery. Sept.18 d&w1w

Attention every one! Have you heard of Kendall's Spavin Cure? See advertisement d&w1w

Kendall's Spavin Cure is used from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast. Advertisement in another column d&w1w

For fine photographic work, go to A. T. Grist's, No. 25 Water street. mar19dtf

We will duplicate any eastern prices on Guns, Revolvers, etc.
S16dw1 KORSMEYER & O'NEILL.

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Ed. Denz, will make you a suit that will fit you to a charm. Try him. s 7 d

A well selected stock of suitings just received at E. Denz's, Central Block. Call and see them. d3m.

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Ice cream and lunch room—one of the neatest and best in the city at Rymels', opposite the Central depot. aug10tf

If you have any copying to do take it to A. T. Grist's gallery, No. 25, Water street. Prices as low as any gallery. mar19dtf

T. W. Wells protogragh and artest makes a specialty of fine protographs. Old pictures copied and enlarged. Sept.18-d&w1w

We would call attention of readers to the notice in another column of Dr. Trask's Magnetic Ointment, said to be a wonderfully efficient remedy. d&w1w

Call at 37 North Church street and see the arrival of new goods both in the variety, and the grocery store of E. B. Pratt. d&w3m

C. W. Challis, post office block keeps the most complete assortment of boots and shoes in the city, and is bound to sell if low prices will do it. d&wtf

Saddle Rock oysters direct from New York harbor served in all styles at Rymels', opposite Central depot. aug10tf

Just step into No. 12 East Main street and see the nobby new hats just received by Mrs. M. L. Mc Donald for early fall trade. Aug-9-dtf

Turkey red table linen at Linn & Scruggs, at 45 cents, worth 60 cents. They are beauties. They are going, too, at this amazingly low price. Sept.14-d&w1w

Wood! Wood! !—Best of dry cord wood for sale at lowest market rates. Orders left at Peter Ullrich's grocery store or by telephone will receive prompt attention. Also, hard and soft, coal of the best quality.
Aug.22d2m J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ.

Of the most thorougn workmanship with all the latest improvements may be had at the wagon shop of D. F. Hamsher on Wood street, near South Main. Wagons made to order and all kinds of repairing done on short notice. Mr. H. invites a careful examination of his work and prices. May-10 wtf.

Thoroughbred Jersey Bull

I have a very superior Jersey bull of the finest breeding for sale. His sire and dam were both imported by Samuel Stratton, of Litchfield, Ill He is an excellent breeder, and in every way desirable. I will sell him cheap. C. A. EWING.
Sep15d&w2w

Wood sawing with a circular saw done in any part of the city on short notice. Leave orders at McClelland's coal yard. Sept 20d1w

Furniture, Furniture, Furniture!

E. Houston, at No. 24 North Franklin street, continues to keep on hand and for sale one of the largest stocks of funiture, stoves, tinware, etc., to be found in the city. He has a large variety of bed room and chamber suits, bureaus, tables, rocking chairs, and everything in the line of tinware, queensware, glassware, etc., at prices which defy competition. He purchases his stock in the most careful manner; has no storage rent to pay, and is thus enabled to sell goods cheaper than any house in the trade.
June-18-d&wtf

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Photographs $1 per dozen, former price $3, at Wells' photograph gallery. s21d&w1w

Shively's new lightning process for taking babies, and children's pictures beats them all. Pictures made as if by magic—in a wink of your eye. Sep.19-d&w1w

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GENTLEMEN: I was suffering from general debility to such an extent that my labor was exceedingly burdensome to me. A vacation of a month did not give me much relief, but on the contrary, was followed by increased prostration and sinking chills. At this time I began the use of your IRON TONIC, from which I realized almost immediate and wonderful results. The old energy returned and I found that my natural force was not permanently abated. I have used three bottles of the Tonic. Since using it I have done twice the labor that I ever did in the same time during my illness, and with double the ease. With the tranquil nerve and vigor of body, has come also a clearness of thought never before enjoyed. If the Tonic has not done the work, I know not what. I give it the credit. J. P. WATSON, Pastor Christian Church, Troy, O.

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READ PROOF OF WONDERFUL CURES.

FREMONT, OHIO, Jun. 25, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents.—I think it my duty to render you my thanks for benefits and profits which I have derived from your invaluable and far famed Spavin Cure. My cousin and I had a valuable stallion worth $1000 which had a very bad spavin, and was pronounced by four eminent Veterinary Surgeons beyond any cure, and that the horse was done for ever. As a last resort I advised my cousin to try a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. It had a magical effect, the third bottle cured it, and the horse is as well as ever. Dr. Dick, of Edinburg, the eminent veterinary surgeon, was an uncle of mine, and I take great interest in assisting his profession.

Yours truly,
JAMES A. WILSON,
Civil Engineer.

WINTHROP, IOWA, Nov. 23, '80

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents—Enclosed please find 25 cents for your treatis on the horse and his diseases. I have been using Kendall's Spavin Cure on one of my horses for bone spavin. One bottle entirely cured the lameness and removed most all of the bunch. Yours respectfully,
LEROY M. GRAYHAM

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

ON HUMAN FLESH.

West Enosburgh, Vt., Feb, 15th, 1881.

DR. B J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargment to grow the size of a large walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has completely removed the enlargment and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. Lawrence.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

WILTON, MINN., January 11, '81

B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents—Having got a horse book of you by mail a year ago, the contents of which persuaded me to try Kendall's Spavin Cure on the hind leg of one of my horses which was badly swollen, and could not be reduced by any other remedy. I got two bottles of Kendall's Spavin Cure of Preston & Luddulh, druggists of Waseca, which completely cured my horse. About five years ago I had a three year old colt sweenied very bad. I used your remedy as given in your book without rowelling, and I must say to your credit, that the colt is entirely cured, which is a surprise not only to myself, but also to my neighbors. You sent me the book for the trifling sum of twenty-five cents, and if I could not get another like it, I would not take twenty-five dollars for it.

Yours truly,
GEO. MATHEWS.

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Sept.19-d&w1w

DECATUR REVIEW.

SATURDAY SEPT. 24, 1881.

To Our Daily Subscribers.

Hereafter the carrier boys will make collections on Saturdays, giving a reciept for the amounts paid. We will be pleased to have reported to us and delinquencies on the part of the carriers, or any failures to get the papers.

Local Paragraphs.

The county fair is over.

State fair at Peoria next week.

A fine line of entertainments are booked to come off at the opera house this fall.

To-night concludes the engagement of the Cartland-Murray combination at the opera house.

The memorial services at the several churches to-morrow will doubtless be of a very interesting character.

A slight fall of rain in the course of Thursday night, relieved the street sprinkler from duty through Friday forenoon.

The fronts of many of our business houses have been greatly improved of late by new paint. This indicates thrift and prosperity.

There was a general scattering of stock from the fair ground, yesterday but many of the articles on exhibition remained to be taken away to day.

In the first part of the forenoon yesterday there were about two wagons "going right out" for every man that wanted to ride. Later in the day business improved.

H. W. Hill Esq., has just dug a well on his place in the west part of the city, in which he has about ten feet of water by going only twenty feet. This is a well that will not be likely to fail.

The public schools of the city closed yesterday at noon to afford the children an opportunity to attend the fair, and on account of the memorial services to be held on Monday they will not reopen until Tuesday morning.

A couple of men from the country were making crooked paths about town yesterday afternoon, and bid fair to find lodgings at the West Wood street hotel. They had not been gathered in at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Lake Erie and Western railroad proposes to run an extra train from Bloomington to Cleveland to accommodate those who may wish to attend the President's funeral on Monday. The train will leave Bloomington on Sunday afternoon, so as to arrive in Cleveland on Monday morning.

There seems to be some difference of opinion as to the character of the county fair. Some speak of the display in all departments except in the line of horses, as being meagre, while others speak of the exhibition as being up to the average in all departments. Who shall decide when doctors disagree.

The managers of the McLean county fair, which was held this week, found a rigid economy necessary on account of the small attendance, and consequently small income. The *Leader* of the 22d says, that the managers on that morning notified the leader of the band that they must dispense with their further services, which left the fair without music for the balance of the time.

Last evening Warren & Durfee's steam horse came in from the fair grounds, drawing the mowers and reapers and other farm machinery, together with several wagons exhibited at the fair by the Durfee Brothers. It passed down Main to Water street, then turned south, and made the curve into the alley, running west from Water street, bringing in the rear of the agricultural store of Durfee Bros.

All the schools of the city will take part in the memorial services next Monday. They will meet in the school rooms in the forenoon bringing their flowers with them. The girls will all dress in white and march in procession to the park at the hour appointed for services. The 2d and 3d ward schools have bought ready made flags, and the high school is making one fifteen feet long. The girls in the senior class are doing the work.

An Interesting Family Gathering.

Friday, Mr. Henry May, of this city, had six of his children at his table for dinner, comprising the entire family, except one who is in Colorado. There were enough of the neighbors invited in to swell the number up towards thirty, who sat down at Mr. May's table. This is the first time so many of Mr. May's children have been together for fifteen years, and the occasion was one that will long be remembered by the family. Henry F. May, one of the sons who is well known to Decatur people, and who was here from Dodge City, Kansas, left for his home Friday afternoon. He is proprietor of a large mill in Dodge City.

"Camille."

There was a beautiful picture lesson impressively and magnificently taught at the opera house last night. The sad consequence which so often result from heart-trifling among lovers is pictured in many plays, but in none so forcibly as in "Camille," presented by Miss Grace Cartland and Mr. John Murray, supported by Lutyen & Clark's grand alliance, last evening. Mr. John Murray and all the actors did exceedingly well, but Miss Cartland, as "Camille" appeared to better advantage than at any time during the week. The beautiful coquette and the disastrous sequel to her flirtations is scarcely more pathetically presented by Sarah Bernhart herself than by Miss Cartland in her version of the play. The full house in attendance showed its appreciation of Miss Cartland's acting by the frequent and earnest bursts of applause, the fine scene at the close of the third act calling forth loud and lengthy applause, to which she responded by appearing before the curtain.

The stage mountings and furnishings in the supper scene were the finest ever put up in Smith's opera house. A regularly set supper was spread upon a table furnished with the finest silverware, and so arranged as to present a most magnificient appearance. The set of furniture used was entirely new, a glittering chandelier hung above, large pictures were placed around the walls of the stage and, altogether, the furnishings used were, probably, worth over $10,000. Mr. R. J. Johnston, the stage director exhibits fine taste in this direction.

By request the company has substituted for this afternoon's matinee, "The Worthy World," in place of "East Lynne." The great military drama, "The French Spy, or the fall of Algiers," to-night. Farwell appearance.

What Was It?

Some little excitement was produced at the depot yesterday noon on the arrival of the train from Quincy. A trunk which, from the stench, evidently contained a human body, was on the platform of the baggage car, the baggage man having been compelled to remove it from the car. Agent Harwood was notified and took the number of the check, the description of the trunk, etc., etc., and telegraphed to the police of Chicago to take possession of it on its arrival there, as it was checked to that point. The trunk was a large new one, of the cheap variety.

Our "New Home."

Inasmuch as no one competed for the $50 gold prize offered by the "New Home" agent, the ladies of the W. C. T. U. were called upon to express their opinion of its work, and unanimously decided it to be entitled to a blue ribbon, and tied one on. The samples of work receiving this reward is on exhibition at G. W. Davidson's office for the 'New Home,' at H. Post's jewelry store. All ladies are invited to see it. s24dtf

Badly Burned.

Last evening, about half after 9 o'clock, a fluid lamp exploded at the residence of Dr. Hawks, on West William street, seriously burning Miss Jennie Hawks. Her hair was considerably burned, as was also the clothing about her shoulders and waist. Dr. Parker was called to assist Dr. Hawks, Jennie's father, but they could hardly determine last night how serious the young lady's injuries are. It is feared she is burned internally.

Fast Man With a Fast Mare.

Policeman Brewer waited upon a fellow to the calaboose Friday forenoon, whom he had to hold upon his horse in getting him along. The man is the owner of a pacing nag, that makes a mile in three minutes, and he was reeling about on the back of this fast steed when he was taken in charge. The wonder is that he had not run over some one before he was gathered in.

Held to Bail.

Yesterday afternoon Alfrad Ray, of Macon was before Justice Albert charged with having attempted to pick the pocket of David F. Hubbard, of Harristown, yesterday at the fair ground. On hearing the evidence the court held accused to bail to the sum of $200. An acceptable bond was promptly filled and the young man was released.

Gone up Higher.

John O'Conner who has been a section boss on the Central here, has been promoted to the position of supervisor between Clinton and Amboy. He entered upon the duties of his new position on Thursday of this week. Mr. O'Conner is a son-in-law of ex-policeman Tucker.

OUR COUNTY FAIR.

Proceedings of the Last Day of the Exhibition.

Exhibition of Graded Cattle, Draft Horses and Matched Teams.

A Baby Show—Mule Race—Premium Awards Completed.

Scenes and Incidents of the Fair Noted on the Grounds.

The twenty-fourth annual exposition of the Macon County Agricultural Board, held at the fair grounds, near this city, closed yesterday. Though not so large as on the previous day, the attendance was fair. The weather has been favorable throughout the week, and the attendance on the last two days was about up to that promised by the recent indications. The people generally did not seem to awake to an interest in the fair until the time for it had almost arrived. In many respects the exhibition was better than it gets credit for being by some of the visitors, many of whom went no further than the amphitheatre and a lemonade stand. However, it ought to have been better. Macon county can make a good agricultural, and Decatur a good manufacturing display, and if the people will only do so they can make our fairs equal, if not superior, to any Co. fair in the state. A united interest and effort is all that is needed to insure the attainment of such success. Those who go to a fair, and fail to find it up to their expectations, should ask themselves whether they have done all in their power to make it successful before they begin to grumble at the managers.

Just what the receipts and expenditures will amount to has not yet been ascertained. It is thought that the receipts will be in the neighborhood of $2,000, and that the premiums cannot be paid in full.

Thursday was, in all respects, the best day of the fair, though there were some very interesting features in yesterday's exhibition. The schools having adjourned for it, there was a large crowd of children upon the grounds The mule race created as much fun around the ring as Miss Kate Edmunds, of Luyten & Clark's combination, does at the opera house. It was a big burlesque on racing to see these animals refuse to start at the word "Go," even under the vigorous application of "peach tree oil," administered by the anxious rider.

THE RING SHOW.

Opened in the morning at 10 o'clock with a good showing of draft horses, there being fine stallions, mares and colts exhibited in the ring. Following this was a show of graded cattle. The entries were not extensive, but the stock good. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon there was a show of matched teams, geldings, saddle horses, mules, etc. Then came the

BABY SHOW.

The premium offered for the fattest baby exhibited at the fair was awarded to Mrs. Annie Spruiner. The premium is a photograph of the baby in a ten dollar frame. It is a special premium, offered by T. M. Wells.

THE RACES.

The trotting race was not filled, and the racing sport did not begin until 3:30, at which time the "blues" were driven off every face around the ring, by the laughable

MULE RACE.

This race, mile and repeat, was for a purse of $50. There were four entries: John W. Bigger entered "Susan B." V. Barber, "Fannie" Frank Orin, "Kate," and A. W. Wells "Jennie." "Kate" won the first and second heats and the race. Time in the first heat 3:10½; second heat 3:40. Fannie won second money and "Susan B" 3d. S. W. Johns, W. W. Foster and D. A. Moffitt judges.

PREMIUMS AWARDED.

MATCHES AND GELDINGS.

Best carriage team; four entries J. H. Dawson's "Dick and George," 1st prem $15; J. R. Race's "Spring field and Denmark" 2d $10.

Best open light harness horses; six entries. V. Park 1st. prem., $15; Harry Lintner 2d 10.

Judges: S. E. Batchelder, John McGuire and J. L. Connelly.

Best single roadster; ten entries. John Hardwick's "Etta May," of Jacksonville, 1st prem. $10; "Dunlap" entered by same, 2d $6.

SADDLE RING.

Best mare or gelding; four entries. J. E. Thornhill's "Emma S," 1st prem. $10; J. F. Barkley's "Clint Clay" 2d $5.

MULES.

Best span mules. - J. R. Smith prem $10.

Best single mule, any age; two entries. J. R. Smith's "Kate," prem. Judges: Geo. W. Stoner, J. L. Connelly and John McGuire.

Best Jack, any age, Samuel Dickson prem., $10. S. E. Batchelder, J. L. Connelly and John McGuire, judges.

BERKSHIRE HOGS.

Best boar 1 year old and under, 2 J. H. Pickerell, prem. $9.

Best boar 6 months and under 1 year, J. L. Connelly, premium $4:50.

Best boar under 6 months; three entries; J. L. Connelly 1st premium, $3; J. H. Pickerell 2d, $1;50.

Best sow over two years, J. L. Connelly, premium $9.

Best sow 1 year and under 2; three entries, J. H. Pickerell, 1st premium, $9; J. L. Connelly, 2d, $6.

Best sow under 6 months; three entries, J. L. Connelly, 1st premium, $3; J. H. Pickerell, 2d, $1.50.

POLAND CHINA HOGS.

Best boar over 2 years old, Andrew Aiman, premium $9.

Best boar 1 year and under 2, Aiman, premium 9 dol.

Best boar 6 months and under 1 year; two entries, H. and J. Ward, 1st and second premium, 4½ dollars, and 3 dollars respectively.

Best boar under 6 months; three entries, M. P. Funk, 1st premium, 3 dollars; J. A. Brown and Son, 2d, 1½ dollars.

Best sow over two years; four entries, H. and J. Ward, 1st premium 9 dollars; Andrew Aiman, 2d 6 dollars.

Best sow 1 year and under 2; four entries, H. and J. Ward, 1st premium 9 dollars; Andrew Aiman 2d, 6 dollars.

Best sow 6 months and under 1 year; three entries, Andrew Aiman, 1st premium, 4½ dollars; H. and J. Ward, 2d, 3 dollars.

Best sow under 6 months; five entries, H. and J. Ward 1st premium, three dollars; J. A. Brown and Son, 2d, 1½ dol.

JERSEY RED HOGS.

Best boar 1 year and under 2, G. W. Stoner, premium, 9 dollars.

Best boar 6 months and under 1 year, G. W. Stoner, premium, 4½ dol.

Best sow over 2 years; G. W. Stoner, premium, 9 dollars.

Best sow 1 year and under 2; G. W. Stoner, premium, 9, dollars.

Best sow 6 months and under 1 year; same, premium, 4½ dollars.

Best sow under 6 months; same, 1st and 2, 3 and 1½ dollars.

Best boar 1 year and under 2; J. A. Brown and Son, premium, 9 dollars.

Best boar 6 months and under 1 year; J. A. Brown and Son; 1st and 2d premiums, 3 and 1½ dollars.

CHESTER WHITE HOGS.

Best sow over two years; J. A. Brown and Son; 1st premium, 9 dol.

Best sow 1 year and under two; same, premium, 9 dollars.

Best sow 6 months and under 1 year; same, 1st and 2d premiums. 4½ and 3 dollars.

Best sow under 6 months; same, premiums 3 and 1½ dollars.

Best boar and two sows, in "Pen of Berkshires;" three entries; J. H. Pickerell, premium, 10 dollars.

Best boar and two sows in "Poland China lot;" three entries; Andrew Aiman, premium, 10 dollars.

Best boar and two sows in "Chester White Lot;" J. A. Brown and Son; premium, 10 dollars.

Best sow and not less than 6 pigs under six months, any breed; six entries; Andrew Aiman, 1st premium. 25 dollars; H. and J. Ward, 2d 15 dollars.

Awarding committee: Chris Merris, Wm. J. Merris, J. Fisher, and A. B. Shaw.

SHEEP.

Best buck two years and over; three entries; J. A. Brown and Son's "Jimmie;" 1st premium, 3 dollars.

Best buck one year and under two; three entries; J. A. Brown and Son's "George; 1st premium, 4 dollars; J. H. Pickerell, 2d premium, 2 dollars.

Best three buck lambs; George Elliott; premium, 4 dollars.

Best three ewes over two years; three entries: J. H. Pickerell, 1st premium, 4 dollars; Geo. Elliott, 2d premium, 2 dollars.

Best 3 ewes 1 year and under 2; three entries; Geo. Elliott, 1st premium, 3 dollars; J. H. Pickerell, 2d premium, 2 dollars.

Best 3 ewe lambs; Geo. Elliott; premium, 4 dollars.

Best Buck two years and over; J. A. Brown and Son's "Caplan;" premium, 5 dollars.

Best buck one year and under 2; J.A. Brown and Son's "Henry;" premium, 4 dollars.

Best 3 buck lambs; J. A. Brown and Son; premium, 4 dollars.

Best 3 ewes over two years; two entries; J. A. Brown and son, 1st premium, 4 dollars; same, 2d premium, 2 dollars.

Best ewes 1 year and under 2; two entries: J. A. Brown and Son, 1st and 2d premiums.

Best three ewe lambs; J. A. Brown and Son, premium, 4 dollars.

Best buck and five ewes; two entries; J. H. Pickerell, 1st premium, 10 dollars; Geo. Elliott, 2d premium.

Best buck and five ewes; J. A. Brown and son; premium, 10 dollars,

Judges: John A. Conley, D. K. Wilson, E. M. Merris.

CLASS B.—HORSES.

Superintendents, J. N. Hoyt and C. A. Turner: Committee, Thomas Smith, P. H. Dorsey S E. Smith and Samuel Weaver.

THOROUGHBRED HORSES.

Best stallion four years and over, J. G. Willard 1st prem $15; Streever & Smallwood, 2d prem. $8.

Best stallion colt under 1 year, J. G. Willard, 1st prem, $4.

Best mare 4 years old and over, J. G. Willard 1st prem, $15.

ROADSTERS.

Best stallion 4 years old and over, D. W. Brenneman & Bro.'s "Patchen, jr," 1st prem, $15; S. A. Swain's "Accident," 2 l prem, $8.

Best stallion 3 years and under 4, three entries, Harry Lintner's "Stanford," 1st prem, $10; John Hartman's "Buffalo Bill," 2d prem, $5.

Best mare or horse, 2 years and under 3, J. T. Clough 1st prem, $8; J. G. Willard, 2d prem, $5.

Best mare 4 years old and over, three entries, D. W. Brenneman & Bro.'s "Magnet" 1st prem, $15; F. F. Talbott's "Gold Dust" 2d prem, $8.

Best mare 3 years and under 4, Harry Lintner's "Mable Pearl," 1st prem, $10.

ALL WORK HORSES.

Best stallion or gelding 4 years and over, 12 entries, B. Bromley's "Dexter," 1st prem, $15; J. R. Smith's "Membrino" 2d prem, $8.

Best stallion or gelding 3 years and under 4, six entries, T. T Harris, 1st prem, $10; John Harten, 2d prem. $6.

Best stallion or gelding 2 years and under 3, five entries, J W. Johnson, 1st prem, $5; S. B. Betts, 2d premium, $5.

Best stallion or gelding 1 year and under 2, four entries, Harry Lintner's "Sport," 1st prem, $6; John Harten's "Colt," 2d prem, $3.

Best colt under 1 year, four entries, Robert Montgomery 1st prem, $4; John M. Moffett, 2d prem, $2.

Best mare four years old and over, Geo. Elliott, 1st prem, $15; John Harten 2d prem, $5.

Best mare three years and under 4, Geo. Elliott, 1st prem, $10.

Best mare 2 years and under 3, J. G. Willard 1st prem, $8; S. B. Betz 2d prem, $5.

Best mare 1 year and under 2, five entries, Harry Lintner 1st and second prem, $9.

Best mare colt under 1 year, three entries, J. P. Thritt 1st prem, T. J. Gaswaw, 2d prem $3.

DRAFT HORSES.

Superintendents, J. N. Hoyt and C. A. Turner. Committee, Jacob Major, J. W. Bigger and J. W. Alexander.

Best stallion or gelding 4 years old and over, D. W. Brenneman & Bro's "Monarch of the East" and "Niger," 1st and 2d prem, $15 and $8.

Best stallion or gelding 3 years and under 4, D. W. Brenneman & Bro, 1st prem, ten dollars; Samuel Dickson, 2d premium, six dollars.

Best stallion or gelding 2 years and under 3 Milton Funk 1st prem, $8; S B Betts 2d prem, $5.

Best mare 4 years old and over, Sam. Dickson 1st prem, $15.

Best mare 3 years and under 4, Samuel Weaver, 1st and 2d premiums, $10.

Best mare 2 years and under 3, Sam Weaver 1st prem, $8; 2d prem, $5.

Best colt under 1 year, Samuel Weaver 1st prem, $4; D. W. Brenneman & Bro 2d prem, $2.

J. G. WILLARD GOT IT.

For the special $5 cash premium offered by J. H. Miller, there were eight entries of sucking colts. The judges were G. W. Stoner, A. W. Hardy and D. S. Hall, and James Freeman superintendent. The blue ribbon was tied on J G. Willard's colt.

OTHER SPECIAL AWARDS.

John Bainter was given James Millikin's $100 cash for showing the best two year old steer, any breed.

J. A. Brown & Son got H W. Hill's $25 cash prize for showing the best boar pig under one year.

D. W. Brememan & Bro got J. L. Fenton's $10 cash prize for showing the best 2 year old draft stallion.

Pickrell, Thomas & Smith got J. G. Willard's $25 for showing the best bull, any age and breed.

J. A. Brown & Son won their own cash prize of $20 for showing the best Cotswold buck and 2 ewes.

SWEEPSTAKES PREMIUMS.

Superintendents, H C. Allen and J. S. Childs. Committee, Pitt Hardy, David Hall, William Crowder and G. W. Stoner.

Best Durham bull and five females, Pickrell, Thomas & Smith, 1st and 2d premiums, $30.

Best Jersey bull and five females, V. Barber 1st prem, $20; J L Connelly, 2d prem, $10.

Best bull of any age, four entries, Pickrell, Thomas & Smith, 1st prem, $25.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

Mr. F. P. Dilger, the young man from Chicago, who had such a nice lot of everlasting grasses and flowers on exhibition in Floral Hall, and who received a blue ribbon on the same, departed for his home in the Garden City last night. He made many sales of his goods.

The school exhibit was a new feature of our fair. The work exhibited had not been especially prepared for this display, as the premiums were not offered till most of the country schools had closed. It is greatly to the credit of Supt. Trainer that with so poor an opportunity he prepared so good an exhibit. It will greatly add to the interest of the schools for the coming year, and will prepare the way for a much better display next year. The presentation of work by all the schools will secure the attendance at the fair of nearly all the family of the county. Next year the schools will want room for mounted specimens of animals, botanical and geological specimens, alcoholic specimens, blackboard work and a collection of drawings on bristol board and other paper. Our display cannot rival those of counties with years of experience in this work and a building erected especially for them, but they can do enough to assure the authorities of both fair and schools that it pays abundantly. The choice of Friday for children's day is a wise step if the people can be assured that all the display of the fair will be left during that day in good condition for visitors. Among other articles of special interest in this department was a collection of ten or twelve curious and attractive photographic views of "Antiquities of Yucatan," presented to the Decatur high school by Dr. S. T. Trowbridge, U. S. Consul to Vera Cruz, Mexico. Samples of card writing and drawing by two young men, J. Myers and F. P. Black, bore a blue ribbon and diploma. The pencil sketch of a lake view by Miss Minnie Bell Page, of Forsyth vicinity, was another very pretty piece of work. She has never taken any lessons in drawing, and yet her penciling is fine. Superintendent Trainer exhibited original autographs of A. Lincoln, Jas. A. Garfield Winf'd S. Hancock and R. B. Hayes. These were exhibited in a framed view of Decatur. The premiums have not yet been awarded on the exhibit, several days being necessary to examine the school work.

The picture of George Washington, made in tapestry work, by Miss Blentz, and exhibited in the Textile Fabric Hall, with two other pictures of the same kind by her, is a very perfect one.

Burdett's engine came in from the fair grounds, after the close of the exhibition, last evening, drawing two other engines, and three heavily loaded two horse wagons, one loaded platform dray, four spring wagons and forty-seven passengers. It was a big train for an engine to draw through the dust, up hill and down, but the Burdett engine pulled it in without fagging. This engine is only a 14-horse power, instead of 20 as given by another paper.

We noticed a blue ribbon hanging on the wire check rower, exhibited by Tait Bro's & Co., the patentees and manufacturers, of this city. It is one of the best machines of the kind ever patented and in the simplicity of its work is superior to any other. It was perfected this year, only a few months ago. A machine that has been tested in the planting of 175 acres of corn, last spring, was on exhibition. Their sickle grinder was another meritorious article among their exhibits.

Capt. John W. Hartley was the watchman in the textile fabric hall. Under his dilligent and watchful surveillance every article was kept in its place, and when the owners called for them yesterday afternoon, no article was found missing.

About 4 o'clock in the afternoon, a mule broke loose from a vehicle and had a little race, all to himself, out on the grounds back of the amphitheatre. He came rushing down toward the booths in answer to the cries, "Here's your ice cold lemonade"—probably after a drink, and set the boys to squalling "whoa" in such terrorizing tones as to excite everybody on the amphitheatre, causing a general uprising, and scramble for a view of what was supposed to be something serious. After the cause had been ascertained a quick change came over the faces of all. An expression of fright was changed to one of mirth.

Prof. S. M. Lutz and C. B. Prescott kept the Textile Fabric Hall enlivened with organ and piano music every day during the fair, the former on his "Miller" organs, and the latter on his "Haines" pianos.

Mrs. Henry C. Allen's premium cake received more words of praise than any other article shown in Floral Hall. She had on exhibition five varieties of cake, each of which was not only *tastefully* prepared in shape, but also in flavor. We were not one of the awarding committee, nevertheless, we were permitted to taste it, and feel safe in saying that we never tasted richer, better cake.

One feature of the fair yesterday calls for a word of criticism. In some of the departments the articles on exhibition were permitted to be taken down and removed early in the forenoon. Friday was just as much a fair day as any other, and many people who had not previously had an opportunity to visit the exhibition were very much disappointed to find every thing in a topsy-turvy condition. This was particularly noticeable in the textile fabric department, the most attractive feature in the fine art exhibit at the fair. We think the owners of the goods, especially those having taken premiums, should have permitted them to remain until the close of the fair.

A picture of Mr. A. D. Trowbridge, manufacturer of the fine ornamental harness, upon which J. W. Tyler took the premium, was noticed in the harness display.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. were very liberally patronized at their lunch, lemonade and literature depot. Their fine banner was on exhibition part of the time during the week. Miss Francis E. Willard's picture occupied a conspicuous place on the literature stand, among the numerous books which they had on sale.

In making our reports of the fair, from day to day, we have endeavored to be accurate and impartial in our statements. We have desired to call attention to all the especially attractive exhibits as well as other features of the fair. But among so many meriting notice, we have been powerless to mention all. The wide and narrow of it is, neither love nor money could extend our time and enlarge our space sufficiently to enable us to mention all. Our willingness and inclination have been broad enough, but that is of no avail at three o'clock in the morning to him who reports for a morning paper.

Harry Lintner's numerous friends were glad to see a number of his fine horses catch the ribbons.

We understood last avening that Frank Orin, the young man who won the mule race, is the lucky school teacher, whose school was awarded the first prize on spelling in the records shown in the school exhibit.

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